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TO SEEK GOLD IN BERING SEA

(By the Associated Press.)
CORDOVA, Alaska, Sept. 29.—The pet theory of the old-time Alaskan miners that the sands of the Bering sea contain rich gold deposits will be thoroughly tested, according to the proposed plan of a recently organized corporation of Seattle men, who expect to dredge the sea's depth in their prospect for the precious metal. The machine with which they intend carrying on their work is of different construction than any of the many others that, according to old mining

men, have failed in similar attempts. Although of general dredge construction, this new boat is capable of proceeding under its own power and those who understand the business state that it will be able to carry on its operations on a large scale. It made the trip from Cordova to Nome, Alaska, without mishap and is now being rigged for its work in the sands along the shores adjacent to Nome.

WEST IS HANGED.

(By the Associated Press.)
TACOMA, Wash., Sept. 29.—Three days' work, maintaining the last bit of justice, was today's task for the people of Tacoma, who were convicted in July, 1922.

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BIG ELEVEN LEARN NEEDS

(By the Associated Press.)
EUGENE, Sept. 29.—Men are wanted to man the variety football line at the University of Oregon here. Plenty of backfield candidates are on Coach Shy Huntington's squad but shortage of material for the line is one of the problems of the coaching staff.

At one workout last week there were only enough men for one full line, although three sets of backs were running signals all the time. The line shortage, however, was expected to be relieved somewhat by the return to school of Ray McKeown, substitute tackle last year and Bill Spauls, tackle of last year's freshman team.

Ends, particularly, are needed. The only wing men on the squad are Bud Brown, two letter man, and George Hines of the 1921 freshman team. Clinis Moffitt and Howard, all of whom played end last year, will not return.

Oregon's first game will be played here tomorrow against Pacific University, which won the non-conference championship of the Pacific Northwest last year. A week from tomorrow Oregon plays Willamette University here in the first Northwest conference game.

SEATTLE, Sept. 29.—Initial football practice at the University of Washington has brought forth the prediction from close followers of the game here, that Coach Elmer Bagshaw's eleven has a chance to finish in the first division of the Pacific Coast Conference this year. According to the critics, who have been on the sidelines every day since the workouts started, the Washington backfield will work behind a line of forwards this year whose weight will average 130 pounds, which is near the weight desired by the Washington coach.

The line will probably be built around Bill Grimm, 210 pound tackle, and Captain Robert Ingram, guard, with plenty of backs represented by Jim Bryan, Chalmers Walters, Roy Petrie, Edward Kuhn, Clifford Langhorne, Wayne Hall, Abe Wilson and Kenneth DuBois to fill the other places. Such a line of a set of backs averaging 170 pounds will give Coach Bagshaw a combination that is almost ideal. The last three seasons the Washington line has been sadly lacking in weight, but this year the forwards will have sufficient weight to compete with any line in the conference, according to Bagshaw.

INSCRIPTION IS MYSTERY

(By the Associated Press.)
SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Sept. 29.—The inscription "B. Julian, May 1824" discovered recently by Captain H. T. Yakey of the launch Shannon Belle carved upon a rock on the banks of the Green river in eastern Utah, is being investigated by Utah historical authorities. The inscription, according to Captain Yakey, is carved so deeply that it will outlast the biographies of the cliff dwellers which are found nearby.

Opinion has been expressed that B. Julian was perhaps a Canadian trapper who wandered down through Utah eleven years before Brigham Young at the head of his little Mormon band first settled in the desert wilderness on the site of the present Salt Lake City. Beside the name is a device, the head of a man or elk, and a boat, thought to represent the trademark of some early fur trading company.

Captain Yakey says he has heard of the finding of a skeleton near the place of the inscription, with the skull resting on the bones of his hands. Whether the skeleton is that of B. Julian, and whether the carving of the name was the last act of a courageous explorer who

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had wandered from his party, is the mystery local historians seek to solve.

In Red Canyon, Daguerre county, Utah, the name of William Ashley, and bearing the date 1825, was discovered several years ago. Ashley has been identified as an early trapper for the American fur company.

BEAR FEASTS LAVISHLY

TACOMA, Wash., Sept. 29.—Insult was added to injury by a big black bear that ate all the supplies of Mr. and Mrs. John Bauman of Dupont, Wash., on their recent automobile trip to Rainier National park.

Their car was parked in Paradise valley where the bear attacked the edibles. After its meal, he curled up in the back seat and went to sleep. When Mr. Bauman, returning, shouted to dislodge the animal, the bear promptly drove through the rear curtain, taking it and part of the top with him in his flight.

FISHERMEN OPPOSE CHANGE IN TARIFF

(By the Associated Press.)
SEATTLE, Wash., Sept. 29.—Alaska herring fishermen, who strongly oppose any reduction in the present tariff rate on European herring, say men who are acquainted with the industry here. Under the present rate of one and one-half cents a pound, it is possible to compete successfully with the European product, but if this is reduced by congress to three quarters of a cent the industry, which brings over \$2,000,000 annually to the territory, is threatened with extinction, local fishermen men declare. Approximately 150,000 barrels, each containing 250 pounds of fish, are shipped out of Alaska every year. Most of this, it is declared, is taken by the large eastern companies which for many years have preferred Scotch herring. During the war submarine operations hindered the propagation of European herring and drove them from their accustomed areas. This situation practically forced the Alaskan var-

Lillian Jeffreys Petri to Speak This Afternoon

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and this afternoon at the Neighborhood Club, also playing a few piano numbers.

Lillian Jeffreys Petri is a champion of white with red and will endeavor to bring to the members of the Neighborhood Club and to the local music clubs the impact of the drive that is being made by the Federal Music Clubs of America to place music on such a high standard in the United States that this country will soon become the musical center of the world.

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